

WORDS OF PRAISE WELL MERITED

BY A WELL KNOWN ARTICLE.

So much has been written by the standard medical authorities, of all the schools of medicine, in praise of the native, or American, medicinal plants which enter into the composition of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, that in attempting to quote from the various works on *Materia Medica* one hardly knows where to commence, since they are so voluminous that only the briefest and most important reference can be presented in a short article like this.

Briefly then let us say that the "Golden Medical Discovery" was named from the sturdy little plant *Golden Seal*, the root of which enters largely into its composition. Besides this most valuable ingredient, it contains glyceric extracts of Stone root, Queen's root, Black Cherrybark, Bloodroot and Mandrake root.

Finley Ellingwood, M. D., an eminent practitioner of Chicago and Professor of *Materia Medica* in the Bennett Medical College of that city, in his recently published work on Therapeutics, says of Golden Seal root: "It is the most natural of stimulants to the normal functions of digestion. Its influence upon the mucous surfaces renders it most important in catarrhal diseases (inflammation of stomach) and gastric (stomach) ulceration."

Many other authorities as well as Dr. Ellingwood extol the Hydrastis (Golden Seal), as a remedy for catarrhal diseases of the nasal passages, stomach, bronchia, gall ducts, kidneys, intestines and bladder. Among these, we may mention Prof. John King, M. D., author of the *American Dispensatory*; Prof. J. M. Souther, M. D., in his "Specific Medication"; Dr. Hale of the Hahnemann Med. College of Chicago; Grover Coe, M. D., of New York, in his "Organic Medicines"; Dr. Bartholow of Jefferson Med. College and scores of other leading medical writers and teachers.

All the foregoing eminent authorities extol the curative virtues of Golden Seal in cases of stomach, liver and intestinal weakness, torpor and ulceration of bowels. Dr. Ellingwood recommends it most highly, "in those cases of atonic dyspepsia when the entire apparatus, including the liver, is stagnant and inoperative." He also extols it most highly in the many weaknesses and derangements peculiar to women and says, "It is a most important remedy in many disorders of the womb." Golden Seal root (Hydrastis), is an important ingredient of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription for weak, nervous, "rundown" women.

But to return to the "Golden Medical Discovery" it may be said that its curative properties are not wholly dependent upon Golden Seal, valuable as it is, as other equally potent ingredients add greatly to its value and in fact are not less important than the Hydrastis, or Golden Seal.

In all bronchial, throat, lung and kindred ailments, Stone root, Black Cherrybark, Queen's root and Bloodroot, each plays as important a part in effecting the phenomenal cures of "Golden Medical Discovery" as does Golden Seal. All these ingredients have the endorsement of prominent practitioners of all schools of medicine for the cure of diseases of the bronchia, throat and lungs.

Of Queen's root, Prof. King says: "An alterative (blood purifier) unsurpassed by few if any other of the known alternatives. Most successful in skin and serous affections; beneficial in bronchial affections; permanently cures bronchitis; relieves irritations; an important cough remedy; coughs of years' standing being cured; aids in blood-making and nutrition and may be taken without harm for long periods."

Queen's root, Golden Seal root, Stone root, Black Cherrybark and Bloodroot, all articles extolled by leading practitioners of all the schools, as the very best of cough medicines, are made especially valuable when combined with chemically pure glycerine which greatly enhances the curative action of all these ingredients in all bronchial, throat and lung affections, severe coughs and kindred ailments.

Who can doubt the efficacy of such a compound, when scientifically made up, as in Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery? Who can doubt that it is a most effective remedy for the several diseases for which its ingredients are so highly recommended by the foremost writers on *Materia Medica*?

It is in the cure of the more chronic or lingering, persistent, and obstinate cases of bronchial, laryngeal and lung affections, attended by hoarseness and severe cough, which if neglected or badly treated would generally have run into consumption, that "Golden Medical Discovery" has won the highest praise from all who have observed its marvelous control over these and kindred affections. It is no cheap compound made-up of trashy ingredients for free distribution, that curious people may experiment upon themselves as with the many fake nostrums so commonly sent out as "trial bottles." It has a forty year record, embracing many thousands of cures behind it, is sold at a reasonable price and may be found in all drug and medicine stores in this and many foreign countries.

It will be seen from the above brief extracts how well "Golden Medical Discovery" is adapted for the cure of all blood diseases, as, scrofulous and skin affections, eruptions, blotches, pimples and kindred ailments; also that it is equally good in all Catarrhal affections no matter where seated, and for all cases of indigestion, or dyspepsia, torpid liver, or biliousness, and as a tonic and invigorant in all manner of weakness, and in nervous debility and prostration the above extracts amply show.

Much further information as to the properties and uses of "Golden Medical Discovery" and Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription for weak women, will be found in a little booklet of extracts from standard medical books which will be mailed free to any address on request, by letter or postal card, sent to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

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WEDDING GOWN DELAYED

Some Nervousness Is Felt at the White House Because of Delay—Longworth Acts as Speaker and Arranges for "Pair."

Washington, Feb. 16.—Arrival of the wedding gown that Miss Roosevelt will wear Saturday is now anxiously awaited. There is much nervousness over its failure to reach here, and fear that it may be delayed until the last moment. It is said that the White House that no word has been received as to when it will come.

Scenes about the White House yesterday were marked by even more intense preparation than hitherto. White House attaches and servants were busy at an early hour hurrying on errands connected with the wedding. Long before 10 o'clock two huge express autos were at the White House grounds, and their drivers were busy unloading presents. The gate at the east entrance was closed for the first time, and all visitors were denied admission.

The usual work of decoration has not yet begun on the rooms, but a small army of men is busy waxing floors and looking after other details. The platform under the middle window on the east side of the East Room, on which the bride party will stand, has been finished and the golden posts around it tied with white satin ribbon.

Miss Roosevelt as usual accompanied Mr. Longworth to the Capitol yesterday morning. For one minute he acted in the capacity of speaker of the House. He was called to the chair during the roll call, and no duty devolved upon him during the time. When he left the speaker's chair, he arranged for a "pair" for two weeks, or until March 4.

His bride elect is beginning to show signs of the strain to which she has been subjected for the last few weeks. Nevertheless, she is expected to be the bride of the century.

The crowd of all women in Washington are the cabinet members' wives who inspected the presents in the White House library yesterday afternoon. These who have seen it say the library looks like the interior of Tiffany's. It is rich in presents of every sort, including jewelry, ware of gold and silver, rare china, curios and the like.

It has probably never fallen to an American bride to receive such a magnificent array of gifts. There are about 600 now on display.

Among the latest are three diamond tiaras, one of which is said to be worth \$20,000. Naturally the presents from foreign countries are highly prized. None of these are more beautiful than the present of the mikado, a silver repousse bowl and embroidered robe, and chain which was sent by the Austrian emperor arrived Wednesday.

The personal gift from the kaiser is a finely wrought bracelet of great value. It will be presented by Ambassador von Sternberg.

The present of the New York delegation has been sent to the White House. It is a beautiful set of wine glasses and plates in faience.

Baron Hengelmüller, as acting dean of the diplomatic corps, is still wrestling with the problem of what the diplomats shall wear. As it is not a state reception they are in doubt about the propriety of wearing uniforms and may appear in the usual frock and high hat. In this event the spectators will be disappointed.

The army and navy officers will wear their glittering full dress uniforms.

ENA'S CONVERSION.

Rumor That the Pope Questions Her Sincerity.

Rome, Feb. 16.—It is rumored that the pope has requested Princess Ena of Battenberg, who is to marry King Alfonso, to make a declaration in writing that her motive in becoming a convert to the Catholic faith was conscientious conviction, and that the change was not made for merely political reasons.

No Safe Place.

When Mr. Trent decided to buy a home in the South in which he and his family could spend the spring months, during which they had found New England winds and weather to be trying, he took a journey of investigation.

Mr. Trent was accustomed to be treated as if his society were eminently desirable, and it was therefore with a friendly and engaging smile that he addressed a melancholy person, who was lounging on the piazza of the hotel at his first Southern stopping place.

"I'm thinking of buying a place down here," said Mr. Trent, in a half-confidential tone. "Now what part of the country would you particularly recommend?" The landlord tells me you've lived South for many years.

"Yes, I've lived in the South a long spell," admitted the melancholy man, "though I was raised North, and I'm willing to say right here and now that you couldn't find any more favorable spot in the whole of this whole state, than this very town. I have lived here for five years, and if I had anything like a fair show I should have enjoyed every minute of the time."

"You haven't had a fair show?" asked the New Englander.

"No," said the melancholy one. "This is a lovely spot, and if I had a fair show I'd have enjoyed it; but the first year I had fever and ague, and the next year I was bit by a snake, and the third year I had an awful fight with a snake, that shook up my nerves, and last year—"

"I doubt if I should like this locality," said the New Englander, briskly.

"Why, you know it's pretty dangerous living anywhere, stranger," he said slowly. "If that's what you're thinking about, I'd advise you to go home."

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June 24, 1905.

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CHIC STYLES.

Girl's Hair Arrangement—Some Effective Gowns—A New Fabric.

In Paris women are adopting a girl's arrangement of the coiffure. The front hair is undisturbed and parted severely in the middle of the forehead. The back tresses are waved and drawn up to meet the front division and pinned tight to the head. Over this foundation is fixed a bunch of fluffy curls. About the knot is tied a gauze ribbon, which is fastened at the left side in a smart study bow.

An effective evening dress is in black spangled tulle. Cream lace makes the upper part of the bodice, over which are jet braces. The short sleeves are a series of lace flounces. In the hair of the petite wearer of this gown will be



MAUVE TAFFETA PEOCE.

Placed a large single poinsettia blossom, coquettishly nestled among the lightly waved tresses.

Salmon pink in a deep shade is seen in the new spring cloth for dressy street gowns. In the trousseau of Miss Alice Roosevelt it is to be found an exquisite frock of this color, with hat to match.

The frock illustrated is a chic affair evolved from mauve chiffon taffeta. The panel front of the skirt has a double row of cloth covered buttons as ornamentation. Around the sides and back, just below the knee, is a broad trimmed box plaited flounce. The coat carries out the same effect, topped with a collar of silk and lace.

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CHAMBERLAIN RULES PARTY

Balfour Adopts His Tariff Programme

UNIONIST PARTY COUNCIL

Then Indorses the Ex-Premier — The Meeting Yesterday Was Unexpectedly Peaceful—Devonshire to Consult.

London, Feb. 16.—With former Premier Balfour's entry into the ranks of the "Whole Hoggers," as the Chamberlains have dubbed the deal, public interest in yesterday's meeting of the Unionists at Lansdowne House was discounted and little was left for the assemblage to consider but questions of party organization and a general plan of campaign. The presence of the duke of Devonshire, former president of the council, however, with his free-food followers, was considered in some quarters as giving promise of enlivening the proceedings. From five hundred to six hundred Unionists attended the meeting, which lasted an hour and a half. No reporters were admitted, but it is known that the proceedings were amiable. The duke of Devonshire, however, showed no disposition to yield his views on fiscal reform. On all other questions he will give willing support to the party. He regretted that he had read the correspondence between Messrs. Balfour and Chamberlain, published yesterday morning, indicating that they have substantially reached an agreement on this question. The duke intimated that he would have to consult with the free-traders of the party as to their future action. Mr. Chamberlain declared that if the duke of Devonshire's views prevailed, the majority of the Unionist party would have to submit to the minority. A resolution expressing confidence in Mr. Balfour was passed.

Balfour Yields to Chamberlain.

The fact that former Premier Balfour had finally crossed the bridge which Joseph Chamberlain held out for him, and that in correspondence published late Wednesday night he takes his position practically on Mr. Chamberlain's tariff reform programme, is heralded in the Liberal newspapers as "Balfour's Surrender," "Chamberlain's Victory," "The Duke's Defeat," etc. In fact, while the Daily Graphic, speaking on behalf of the Unionist free-traders, declares Mr. Balfour's "journey to Caposerra" as the price of his retention in the leadership of his party, the Chamberlain journals express complete satisfaction and attach no importance whatever to the Balfourian limitations which the former premier places upon his acceptance of the proposed duty on corn and a tax on manufactures. The Standard says that "the agreement between the two foremost statesmen of the party is absolute and all-embracing." Mr. Balfour's surrender, though delayed till the eve of the Lansdowne house meeting, was evidently arranged at the famous dinner conference with Mr. Chamberlain and enabled the latter to publish his recent repudiation of desire for the leadership, which suddenly stifled the newspaper attacks on Mr. Balfour.

As though to emphasize the fact that there will be in the future a dual leadership of the Unionists, it is announced that in addition to the provision of the customary private room in the House of Commons for the official leadership of the opposition only, a similar room has been allotted to Mr. Chamberlain. Mr. Balfour and Mr. Chamberlain are still in negotiation with regard to reorganization of the party machinery. Mr. Balfour's conversion to Chamberlainism is likely to be unpalatable to a large section of the Unionist party, and the Lansdowne house meeting which the duke of Devonshire, Lord Hugh Cecil and other free-traders will attend, is very likely to hear some plain speaking on the subject.

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Mrs. Martha Pohlman of 55 Chester Avenue, Newark, N. J., who is a graduate Nurse from the Blockley Training School, at Philadelphia, and for six years Chief Clinic Nurse at the Philadelphia Hospital, writes the letter printed below. She has the advantage of personal experience, besides her professional education, and what she has to say may be absolutely relied upon.

Many other women are afflicted as she was. They can regain health in the same way. It is prudent to heed such advice from such a source.

Mrs. Pohlman writes: "I am firmly persuaded, after eight years of experience with Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, that it is the safest and best medicine for any suffering woman to use."

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The best time to ship these elk to the Adirondacks and liberate them is early in May. They will not need any feeding or care after liberation, and will be amply able to shift for themselves in the wild state, as they have always lived wild in the forest. The elk which have been liberated in the Adirondacks during the past five years have done well, and the State Forest, Fish and Game Commission in their last report place the number of wild elk in the Adirondacks at 200, as against twenty-two in 1901.

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Mrs. Martha Pohlman

ability, irritability, nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, "all-gone" and "want-to-be-left-alone" feelings, blues and hopelessness, they should remember there is one tried and true remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, as once removes such troubles. No other female medicine in the world has received such widespread and unqualified endorsement.

The needless suffering of women from diseases peculiar to their sex is terrible to see. The money which they pay to doctors who do not help them is an enormous waste. The pain is cured, and the money is saved by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

It is well for women who are ill to write Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. The present Mrs. Pinkham is the daughter-in-law of Lydia E. Pinkham, her assistant for many years before her decease, and for twenty-five years since her advice has been freely given to sick women. In her great experience, which covers many years, she has probably had to deal with dozens of cases just like yours. Her advice is strictly confidential.

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I expect during the next few years to receive additional gifts of elk from public-spirited persons who are interested in the experience of reintroducing the elk, as well as the moose and bear, into their former home in the Adirondacks, so that there will always be ample infusion of new blood into the Adirondack herds to prevent inbreeding. The experience of the past few winters has shown that the elk withstand deep snow and severe cold even better than the Adirondack deer.

I shall be glad to hear from any friend of the Adirondacks who would feel disposed to bear the expense, or a part of the expense, of transporting these elk to the Adirondacks and of liberating them. Prompt aid is requested, as there are a number of details to be attended to—Harry V. Radford, in Forest and Stream.

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